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Virginia Dr., Park Lane project on schedule

The Town of Estes Park and contractor Coulson Excavating are on schedule for the Virginia Dr., Park Lane and MacGregor Ave. project, with work to be complete by May 23, weather permitting. The project includes water main replacement and road reconstruction along Virginia Dr., as well as curb, gutter and sidewalk improvements and pavement overlays on Park Lane and MacGregor Ave. between Park Lane and Wonderview Ave.

Adjacent businesses remain open and pedestrian access is maintained throughout the project. The contractor visits all adjacent businesses and residents to discuss access during the project. Pedestrians and motorists should watch construction signage for detour and closure information. Following is general information pertinent through the first week of May:

Virginia Dr.: Crews have installed a new water main on lower Virginia Dr. and will continue installing new water main up the street the week of April 23. Water customers will be notified 48 hours in advance of outages related to diverting water service to the new water main. Concrete work on Virginia Dr. curb, gutter and sidewalk will also begin the week of April 23. After reconstruction of the road in May, Virginia Dr. will reopen to through traffic. Currently, the road is open to local traffic only.

Park Lane: New sidewalk along the north side of Park Lane is complete and has reopened to pedestrians. After paving next week, the adjacent parking spaces will be reopened for use. Also at that time, the road will reopen to two-way traffic until mid-May. A brief closure with detours is anticipated during paving operations in mid-May.

MacGregor Ave.: Concrete work along the shoulder of MacGregor Ave. near Wonderview Ave. will take place this week. Vehicle traffic should not be disrupted, although motorists should drive carefully near the construction site.

Steamer Dr.: The project will also include curb and gutter improvements and a pavement overlay on Steamer Dr. east of Stanley Village. The contractor expects to begin work on this portion of the project around May 7.

For more information, please contact the Town of Estes Park Public Works Department at 970-577-3587 or visit www.estes.org. To receive Town news and/or meeting agendas by email, please email townadmin@estes.org.

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